

1 July 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Medical Services

John:

STATINTL 1. I should like to pass on some thoughts I have in connection with making an evaluation of the recent [redacted] Seminar and then an analysis of the situation leading to a recommendation for a future course of action. Inasmuch as the Office of Medical Services has been the leading entity in our relationship [redacted] and OMS professional personnel participated substantively in the program, I would appreciate it if you undertake the lead role in this exercise.

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2. It seems to me we need several different kinds of evaluation, separated from period of time after the experience, before we can assess the impact of the program. I would suggest four different sources and feedback:

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a. Student Body

b. [redacted] and Colleagues

c. Your Professional Personnel Who Substantively Participated

d. The Observers Present Both from the Office of Medical Services and the Office of Training

I think it would be interesting to ask group a. above not only what they thought of the experience, but if they believe it should be carried on. I believe groups b. and c. above should be asked for detailed recommendations, if not their judgment, whether we should continue on with the program. The same is true of group d.

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3. I remain impressed with what I saw and heard and open-minded for the future. It may be another several runnings, if [REDACTED] schedule permits, for the answer; perhaps it can be done with in-house talent, to include some additional exposure to the techniques by in-house talent; and perhaps there is no future.

4. I am forwarding a copy of this note to Al Rodriguez. In the meantime, I would appreciate your giving this matter your attention.

Signed: John F. Blake

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for
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